

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Order Instituting Rulemaking on the  
Commission's Own Motion to Establish  
Consumer Rights and Consumer Protection Rules  
Applicable to All Telecommunications Utilities.

Rulemaking 00-02-004  
(Filed February 3, 2000)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING**

This ruling revises the date by which the assigned Commissioner plans to issue his scoping ruling; and revises the date by which customers who intend to seek compensation for their contributions in this proceeding must file and serve notices of intent (NOIs) to claim intervenor compensation.

**Revised Schedule for Assigned Commissioner's Scoping Ruling**

The schedule included in Order Instituting Rulemaking 00-02-004 anticipated the assigned Commissioner's issuing his scoping ruling on May 24, 2000, but explicitly reserved the assigned commissioner's and assigned Administrative Law Judge's (ALJs) right to adjust the timetable as necessary during the course of the proceeding. Twelve public participation hearings (PPHs) are now scheduled to be held around the state commencing June 15, 2000 and running through August 15, 2000. Assigned Commissioner Wood has determined that it would be beneficial to give strong consideration to input the public provides at these PPHs when determining the course the remainder of the proceeding should take. Thus, parties are notified that the planned date for the Assigned Commissioner's Scoping Ruling is revised to August 29, 2000.

## **Notices of Intent to Claim Intervenor Compensation**

By assigned ALJ's Ruling of March 20, 2000, the date by which customers who plan to seek compensation for their contributions in this proceeding pursuant to Public Utilities code Section 1804(a) must file an NOI to claim compensation was established as June 2, 2000. With postponements of comments and reply comments, and the assigned Commissioner's determination to reschedule the scoping ruling, it is appropriate to adjust the deadline for intervenor NOIs as well. That date will be revised to September 14, 2000, 30 days after the last PPH.

Therefore, **IT IS RULED** that:

1. The scheduled date for the Assigned Commissioner's Scoping Ruling is revised to August 29, 2000.
2. The deadline for filing and serving notices of intent to claim intervenor compensation in this proceeding is revised to September 14, 2000.

Dated May 19, 2000, at San Francisco, California.

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James C. McVicar  
Administrative Law Judge

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated May 19, 2000, at San Francisco, California.

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Ann White

## N O T I C E

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